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116TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. _____

To provide funds for general government operations of the Commonwealth
of the Northern Mariana Islands, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. SABLAN introduced the following bill; which was referred to the
Committee on _____

A BILL

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Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, and
for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Northern Mariana Is-
5 lands Coronavirus Emergency Assistance Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. FUNDS FOR CNMI GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS.**

2 (a) APPROPRIATIONS.—There is hereby appropriated
3 to the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands
4 \$100,000,000 for general government operations.

5 (b) OFFSET.—Notwithstanding section 161 of the
6 Energy Policy and Conservation Act (42 U.S.C. 6241),
7 the Secretary of Energy shall draw down and sell not to
8 exceed \$100,000,000 of crude oil from the Strategic Pe-
9 troleum Reserve for fiscal year 2020.